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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Citizenship—
Declaration of intention to take out citizenship papers was filed yesterday by Nicholas Mardesich and Michael Vitalich, natives of Austria.

Lost Her Purse—
One of the teachers of the Astoria schools lost her purse containing quite a sum of money yesterday afternoon, and she will be duly grateful if the finder will kindly return it to this office.

Will Is Admitted—
An order was made in probate court yesterday admitting the will of the late R. E. Howes to probate and appointing the widow, Eliza T. Howes, as executrix, without bond. G. W. Woods, John Fox and J. W. Johnston were appointed appraisers.

Appointed Guardian—
In probate court yesterday, in the matter of the guardianship of Albert, Frederick A. Herman and Wilhelm Libke, Attorney Frank Spittle was appointed their guardian for the purposes of caring for the interests of the minors in the sale of certain property of the estate.

Baseball Sunday—
The Ft. Stevens soldier nine will play the Athletic Club baseball team Sunday afternoon on the grounds in this city. The contest promises to be a good one. The two teams met at Ft. Stevens a few weeks ago, when the Astoria boys won out by a close score.

Goes To Seattle—
C. E. Wilson, the capable agent of the Northern Pacific Express Company in this city, will in the course of a few days, be transferred to Seattle. He has expressed a desire for the change owing to the fact that this climate does not agree with Mrs. Wilson's health, she being a great sufferer from the asthma.

On Official Business—
Traveling Officer J. G. Kilpack of the Oregon Boys' & Girls' Aid Society, of Portland, reached this city yesterday on an official tour. He has been visiting the score or more wards of that institution who are out on probation along the country, and is here to look into the status of those over whom the Society holds interested dominion in this city, and to take cognizance of such new cases as require his services. He will be in the city and neighborhood for a day or two longer.

I. O. O. Anniversary Notice.
All Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and visiting members, are cordially invited to participate in the anniversary exercises to be held at Odd Fellows' hall, Thursday evening, April 29th, at eight o'clock.

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En Route To Tillamook—
Walter W. Ridehalgh, formerly of this city, but now of Seattle, was in the city for a short while yesterday morning, en route to Tillamook City. He went ashore from the steamer Sue H. Elmore on which he was a passenger, and was accompanied by Messrs. Head & Lemcke, of the well known realty firm of Portland.

Notes From Warrenton—
The Warrenton schools are closed for the week.—On Saturday, April 24, a son was born to the wife of Walton Bowman.—Last Saturday Mrs. Mudd, mother of Willis Mudd of Hammond and Frank Mudd of the Lewis & Clark, arrived from the State of New York. The old lady is 77 and came all alone.

Hon. J. C. McCue Here—
Hon. J. C. McCue, formerly of this city, but now established at the metropolis in his profession of the law, was in this city yesterday on professional matters. It was thought he might tarry over until the "happy 5th" but the claims of business are imperative, and he returned to Portland last evening.

Young Wife Dies—
Mrs. Helen Shannon, wife of James Shannon, died in this city yesterday after a brief illness. Their home is at The Dalles, but it is understood they have been at Seaside for a time. Mrs. Shannon was only 20 years of age and had been married but three months. Her father is Rance Wisner of The Dalles, and he is expected here today.

Jury Disagreed—
At Tillamook the jury in the trial of Adolph Nordstrom for killing John Peterson was unable to agree, then standing out for murder in the first degree and two for murder in the second degree. The jury was discharged yesterday morning, after being locked up since Saturday afternoon. Nordstrom will be tried again on Thursday.

Looking Over Court House—
George W. Brown and Roy Wheaton, county commissioners of Pacific county, Wash., were in the city yesterday and made an inspection of the Clatsop county court house. Pacific county has decided to build a court house at South Bend, at a cost of about \$80,000, and the two gentlemen are endeavoring to secure proper ideas of what their new structure should be.

Visitor From Salem—
Miss Leroda Gesner, of Salem, one of the charming daughters of the capital city, is a guest of Miss Maude Dobbs at the Irving Hotel. During the vacation week, Miss Dobbs, who is one of the teachers in the city schools, will take advantage of the opportunity to show her friend a little of Astoria. In Salem Miss Gesner, and her people, are very well known and she has other friends here.

Home From California—
Mrs. S. A. Gimre and children were homing passengers on the steamship Geo. W. Elder, yesterday, from southern California, where for the past three months they have found refuge against the inclemencies of winter that marked the more northerly latitudes of the coast. They enjoyed every hour of the visit, and yet were delighted to get within the home precinct again, a pleasure shared by their many friends here.

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LITTLE GAMBLING GAME IS PULLED

EXTREE! EXTREE! ALL ABOUT THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE WAKING UP!

Deputy Sheriff McLean arrested three men in the room back of the Parker house saloon shortly before the noon hour yesterday on a charge of gambling. The men are W. B. Dibble, one of the lessees of the hotel, James McDonald, said to be the swamper in the saloon, and a third man whose name was not secured. The three men will be arraigned this morning at 10 o'clock. McDonald did not give bail yesterday, though the two others put up \$100 each in justice court and were given their liberty. The matter will necessarily go to the grand jury, if Justice Goodman this morning finds that there is sufficient evidence to warrant holding them. The men are said to have been playing "rounce," a game that is usually played for money, and it is understood there was money—some 40 cents—on the table when the men were placed under arrest.

It's been a long time since any gamblers have been arrested, and the little "raid" yesterday will either create amusement or fear in the hearts of all the other gamblers in the city. Just why the arrest of yesterday was made may be difficult to fathom, unless by chance it may mean that the sheriff's office is finally going to do its duty in the gambling matter.

The lessees of the Parker house are new men in the city. Perhaps they haven't got in the "inside" yet. There probably isn't a saloon in the city where gambling games are not of nightly and daily occurrence, and if there are any cigar stores that don't have the games they have not yet been discovered. One or two of the principal cigar stores are merely blinds for the real purpose of gambling. Over on Bond street are one or two big gambling houses that play stiff games. It is in one of these games that it is said one of the deputy sheriffs used to take pleasure in occasionally trying his luck, according to the police. The facts of the matter are that gambling is going on all over the city, but in a subdued way—except in a few notable instances. That's what makes the arrest of the Parker saloon contingent all the more mysterious. To reach the Parker house it is necessary to go directly past the seven lotteries, too. The lotteries and the big games have not been disturbed thus far.

Boy To Reform School—
Henry Baack, the young fellow who was arrested Monday night while in company with a 16-year-old girl, was yesterday sentenced to the reform school by Judge Trenchard of the county court. He is now 19 years old and will stay there for two years, probably, which may seem a trivial punishment to many. Under all the circumstances it may not have been possible to punish him more heavily. The relatives of the girl urged that she be permitted to remain with them here and this will be done, during her good behavior. She is a nice looking young girl with relatives of the utmost respectability. J. G. Kilpack of the Boys' & Girls' Home of Portland was in the city yesterday and will probably remain here for several days. He is here to look into several matters.

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Pickled Pork.	12 1/2c, 15c
Hamburg Steak.	10c
Smith's Famous Pork Sausage.	12c
Smith's Sugar-cured Hams.	15c
Smith's Breakfast Bacon.	17 1/2c
Veal Cutlets.	12 1/2c, 15c
Roast Veal.	10c, 12 1/2c, 15c
Pork Chops.	12 1/2c, 15c
Roast Pork.	10c, 12 1/2c, 15c
Beefsteak.	10c, 12 1/2c, 15c
Roast Beef.	8c, 9c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c
Beef for boiling.	6c, 7c
Razor Clams, per dozen.	10c
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An Enjoyable Session—

There was a very enjoyable joint session of Teutonia Lodge No. 5, Sons of Herman, and the Queen Louise Sister lodge, at the A. O. U. W. hall last evening, when Herman Emke, past grand master of the State for the Sons of Herman was the honored guest of the hour. There were music, fraternal addresses and generous refreshments to mark the flying moments and withal, a thoroughly good time. And none enjoyed it more than the gentleman from Portland.

School Exhibit Nearly In—

Superintendent Clark said yesterday that the teachers have nearly all handed in the work for the Seattle exposition. Some of the work is really very fine, especially in geographical and nature studies. On many of the papers the pupils have painted scenes or objects illustrative of the subject being studied. Waters colors are used by many of the older pupils. It is noticeable that the two or three Chinese boys in the upper grades do especially fine work, especially in painting and in their handwriting.

Teachers' Institute—

The Clatsop County Teachers' Institute will open today in the county court house, where fine preparations have been made to hold the three days' sessions. Miss Warren, county superintendent, has arranged everything nicely, and there is to be an excellent program in which some of the leading educators of the state will take part. It is mandatory on the part of the teachers throughout the county and city to attend the sessions of the institute, unless good reason is given for absence, and a large attendance is assured.

The Human Appetite.

Of all the whimsical, shifting, unreliable, treacherous, exacting things in the world, the human appetite for the right thing to eat is, perhaps, the most unreasonable and imperious. There are those who humor it; others who defy it; and all men are more or less inclined to treat it with consideration. To find a place where these varying attitudes may be fostered, at the least cost in each case, and yet keep the appetite in proper and peaceful subjection, is always desirable information. One place that is conceded as perfectly adapted to this, is the Palace Restaurant, just opposite the Page building, on Commercial street, in this city. Try it once, and patronize it always; that is the rule of the Palace.

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Although the ordinance passed at the last session of the common council, requiring grocery merchants to place their fruits and vegetables at a certain height above the sidewalk, has not become operative, W. T. Scholfield is the first merchant to comply with its provision. He has constructed a platform in conformity with the ordinance, and no doubt the innovation will be appreciated by patrons who desire pure food in preference to some brands that possibly would not stand a sanitary test or pass inspection by the city health officer.

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Improvements Contracted—

N. W. Bowers came up from Sunset Beach yesterday and spent the day in this city on business connected with the \$30,000 worth of contracts he has out for the improvement of that fine coast property and ultimate summer resort. Mr. Bowers says the A. & C. people have agreed to put in a spur for the new resort, at Taylor's, and a depot will be built by Mr. Bowers, on the scale and style of the one at Gearhart station. Cement sidewalks are soon to be laid on the resort grounds, and the work of setting up the buildings proposed for the Beach will be soon begun.

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. Owl Drug Store, T. F. Laurin.

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